

ABSTRACT

A friction material for a synchronizer ring comprises (A) a petroleum coke with an ash content of 0.1 mass% to 8 mass% or (B) a pitch coke with an ash content of 0.1 mass% to 8 mass%, more preferably (C) a calcined petroleum coke with an ash content of 0.1 mass% to 1 mass% or (D) a foundry coke with an ash content of 5 mass% to 8 mass%. The friction material is effectively used for a synchronizer ring requiring high coefficient of dynamic friction.